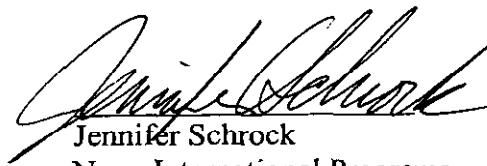


AMENDMENT NUMBER 8
TO THE
MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
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AND THE
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AND THE
STATE SECRETARY OF DEFENCE OF THE KINGDOM OF THE NETHERLANDS
AND THE
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE OF THE KINGDOM OF NORWAY
AND THE
UNDERSECRETARIAT FOR DEFENSE INDUSTRIES ON BEHALF OF THE
MINISTRY OF NATIONAL DEFENSE OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE
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SECRETARY OF STATE FOR DEFENCE OF THE
UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND
AND THE
SECRETARY OF DEFENSE ON BEHALF OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
CONCERNING THE COOPERATIVE FRAMEWORK FOR
SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT AND DEMONSTRATION OF THE
JOINT STRIKE FIGHTER
(Short Title - JSF SDD Framework MOU)

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INTRODUCTION

1. The purpose of Amendment Number 8 to the JSF SDD Framework MOU is to include the Department of Defence of Australia as a Participant to the MOU.
2. Accordingly, the Department of Defence of Australia, the Minister of National Defence of Canada, the Ministry of Defence of Denmark, the Ministry of Defence of the Republic of Italy, the State Secretary of Defence of the Kingdom of the Netherlands, the Ministry of Defence of the Kingdom of Norway, the Undersecretariat for Defense Industries on behalf of the Ministry of National Defense of the Government of the Republic of Turkey, the Secretary of State for Defence of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, and the Secretary of Defense on behalf of the Department of Defense of the United States of America have reached the following understandings:

AMENDMENT

The JSF SDD Framework MOU is hereby amended as follows:

1. TITLE PAGE:

- a. Replace the current Title Page with the following Title Page:

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE OF AUSTRALIA
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2. INTRODUCTION:

- a. Revise the opening paragraph to read as follows: "The Department of Defence of Australia (AS DOD), the Minister of National Defence of Canada (CA DND), the Ministry of Defence of Denmark (MOD DE), the Ministry of Defence of the Republic of Italy (IT MOD), the State Secretary of Defence of the Kingdom of the Netherlands (NL MOD), the Ministry of Defence of the Kingdom of Norway (MOD NO), the Undersecretariat for Defense Industries on behalf of the Ministry of National Defense of the Government of the Republic of Turkey (TR MND-SSM), the Secretary of State for Defence of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (U.K. MOD), and the Secretary of Defense on behalf of the Department of Defense of the United States of America (U.S. DoD):".

ENTRY INTO EFFECT

This Amendment, signed in nine (9) original texts, all texts being equally authentic, will enter into effect upon the earlier of the following dates: (1) the date of last signature of all of the new and existing Participants' representatives; or (2) the date by which the last signature of the representatives of the Department of Defense of the United States of America and the Department of Defence of Australia has been obtained and a minimum of 30 days has elapsed from the time of the U.S. Department of Defense's transmittal of the amendment to all Participants for signature. This Amendment will remain in effect for the same period as the MOU that it amends. Unless specifically amended herein, all other provisions of the JSF SDD Framework MOU remain unchanged.

The foregoing represents the understandings reached among the Department of Defence of Australia, the Minister of National Defence of Canada, the Ministry of Defence of Denmark, the Ministry of Defence of the Republic of Italy, the State Secretary of Defence of the Kingdom of the Netherlands, the Ministry of Defence of the Kingdom of Norway, the Undersecretariat for Defense Industries on behalf the Ministry of National Defense of the Government of the Republic of Turkey, the Secretary of State for Defence of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, and the Secretary of Defense on behalf of the Department of Defense of the United States of America.

Signed, in nine (9) copies, in the English language by authorized representatives.

FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE
OF AUSTRALIA



Signature

M. J. Roche

Name

**Under Secretary Defence
Materiel**

Title

31 October 2002

Date

Washington, D.C.

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Alan S. Williams

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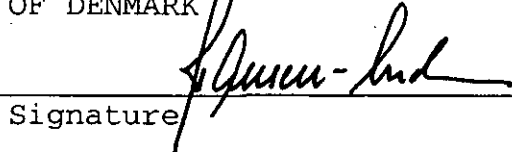
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**Deputy Permanent Secretary
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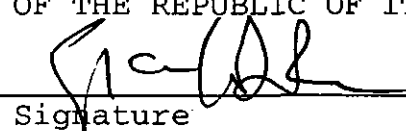
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Admiral Giampaolo di Paola

Name

**Secretary General of Defence
And National Armaments Director**

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Date

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Location

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DEFENCE OF THE KINGDOM OF THE
NETHERLANDS


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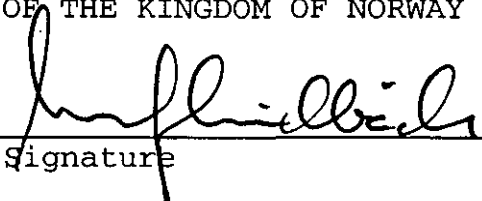
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OF THE KINGDOM OF NORWAY


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Leif Lindbäck

Name

**Director General,
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Title


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Location

FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE
FOR DEFENCE OF THE UNITED
KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND
NORTHERN IRELAND


Signature

Sir Robert Walmsley

Name

Chief of Defence Procurement

Title

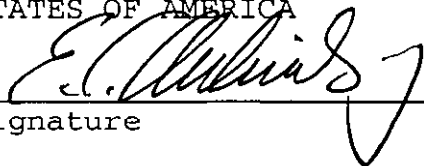
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FOR THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE
ON BEHALF OF THE DEPARTMENT
OF DEFENSE OF THE UNITED
STATES OF AMERICA



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E. C. Aldridge, Jr.

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